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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of 17 May 2007, please amend the claims of the above-named patent application as requested on page 2 of this paper, and please consider the remarks which begin on page 4.

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